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In re Application of:)
Jeffrey H. Mumm et al.)
Serial No. 09/696,519)
Filed: October 25, 2000)
For: Carpets with Improved Fuzz
Resistance)
Examiner: J. Goff, II
Art Unit: 1733
Confirmation No.: 2591

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

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Sir:

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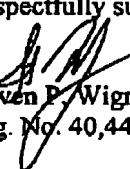
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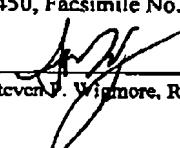
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